

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Satoshi Mizutani et al.

Application No.: 10/705,673

Confirmation No.: 4666

Filed: November 10, 2003

Art Unit: 3761

For: INTERLABIAL PAD INDIVIDUAL
PACKAGING VESSEL

Examiner: K. M. Reichle

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 11 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 19 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 20 of this paper.